

**MICK Holifield, Wycombe Wanderers' midfield player, should be back in the side tomorrow (Saturday) when the Blues entertain Barking at Loakes Park in the Isthmian League Premier Division.**

Holifield has been absent for two weeks on holiday and his pace and aggression in midfield have been sadly missed. Certainly Holifield would have been more than useful at Enfield last week when Wanderers had the chastening experience of being thoroughly outplayed by the league leaders.

To their credit, Wycombe got that defeat out of their system at Southall on Monday night where they won 3-0. Holifield's expected return means that either Farouk Quraishi, Howard Kennedy or Graham Mackenzie will have to drop out. Roger Day and Paul Birdseye are both rated as only 50-50 due to injuries.

After a good start to the season when they won their first three games, Barking have slipped recently and are also behind on league fixtures due to cup involvement. Most of last year's side are still at Mayesbrook Park including ex-Wanderer Tony Brothers. New-comers this season include Nick Iron-ton and Terry Dibble, who were both playing for Queens Park Rangers Youth last season.

Best result for Barking so far in the league was a 2-0 home win over Tooting and Mitcham while they have also beaten Hendon, Bishop's Stortford twice and

Walthamstow Avenue. Enfield inflicted defeats both home and away while the worst performance was the 3-1 home defeat by Woking.

In the FA Cup Barking put out local Kingsmead Athenian Leaguers Chalfont St Peter 5-2 but then crashed 3-1 in the next round at home to Southern League Hillingdon.

On Tuesday Wanderers stage their last Isthmian League game on a Tuesday for some time when they meet Staines Town at Loakes Park. The Blues beat Staines 3-1 earlier this season.

**ISTHMIAN LEAGUE  
PREMIER DIVISION  
(Up to and inc 18/10/77)**

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Enfield	16	13	2	1	33	10	41
Hitchin	17	10	3	4	33	20	33
Tooting	17	10	3	4	23	14	33
<b>Wycombe</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>32</b>
Leatherhead	16	9	4	3	31	15	31
Hendon	18	9	4	5	30	22	31
Staines	14	8	4	2	20	14	28
Dagenham	18	8	3	7	30	27	27
Sutton	15	8	2	5	18	14	26
Carshalton	14	7	4	3	25	15	25
Barking	13	6	1	6	21	18	19
Hayes	13	5	4	4	13	11	19
Boreham W	12	5	2	5	17	20	17
Walthamstow	12	4	3	5	14	19	15
Croydon	13	4	2	7	13	19	14
Kingstonian	15	3	4	8	16	22	13
Tilbury	14	2	5	7	16	26	11
Leytonstone	13	2	4	7	13	23	10
Southall	14	2	4	8	13	23	10
Slough	12	2	2	8	14	26	8
Woking	13	2	1	10	10	22	7
Stortford	18	0	3	15	16	50	3